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1. In 1925 or 1926 a committee of the Manchurian (illegal) Peoples' Party was established in Ulan Bator (Outer Mongolia). The chairman was Khurlat, a Mongol from the Hailar region. I know that the following were also committee members:

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The other members were unknown to me.

2. As outer Mongolia was then but slightly under Soviet control and influence, the Mongols and related tribes (Dahurs, Solons) regarded it as their homeland. All the individuals named above were strong nationalists - pan-Mongolists. They were struggling for an independent Great Mongolia comprising Outer and Inner Mongolia and parts of Manchuria. They edited magazines, papers and leaflets in Ulan Bator and smuggled them into Manchuria to the Hailar region, which is mainly populated by Dahurs and Barguts (Mongols). They planned uprisings against the Chinese, and obtained weapons which they smuggled into the Hailar region.
3. In 1930, when Outer Mongolia almost became a Soviet colony, they were dissatisfied and stopped their anti-Chinese activities, meanwhile contacting the Japanese. Erkin Batse was shot by the Soviets, but all the others escaped and started plots with Japanese help. Particulars are unknown to me, but in Haising's (or Haisig, a Nazi agent in the Hailar region during World War II) book "Mongolen von Hai-Lung Kiang" (published in Peiping in Vienna, 1942) he named some of these men as nationalists working under Japanese direction.

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